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TITLE OF INVENTION: INTEGRATED CIRCUIT HAVING SELF-ALIGNED CVD-TUNGSTEN/TITANIUM CONTACT PLUGS STRAPPED WITH METAL INTERCONNECT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

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**In re Application of:**

Prall et al.

**Serial No.:** 09/832,272

**Filed:** April 10, 2001

**For:** INTEGRATED CIRCUIT HAVING  
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